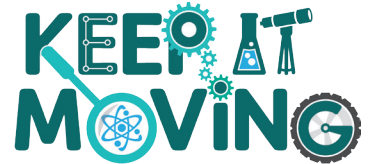


BRANCH AND GROUP REGISTRATION FORM

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PLEASE PRINT

YMCA Branch Non-YMCA Group Individual Participant

Group Name or Individual Child's Name _____

Camp Director/Organizational Leader _____

or Parent/Guardian Name _____

Camp Director/Organizational Leader/Guardian Cell _____

Total Number Attending:

Staff _____

Campers _____

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Seat Assignment: _____

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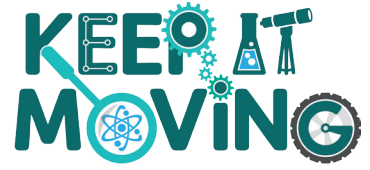
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PLEASE PRINT

Child of YMCA Staff Child of Volunteer

Individual Child's Name(s): _____

Allergies, Limitations: _____

Company Name/Individual Volunteer: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Phone: _____

Total Number Attending: _____

For more information, please email La Shaun Murray at lashaun.murray@ymcadc.org.

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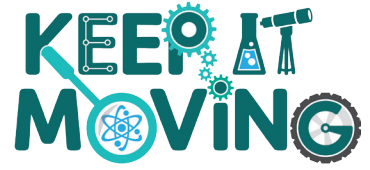
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INVENTION CHALLENGE RULES

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Young people ages 5–14 are invited to participate in the 2020 YMCA THINGAMAJIG® Invention Convention Challenge.

The rules are simple:

1. You can enter the competition as an individual or in a team of no more than 3 individuals.
2. All participants must be between the ages of 5–14.
3. You must enter an original invention/project (no manufactured kits accepted).
4. Use of recycled materials is strongly encouraged.
5. No more than \$20 can be spent on materials for your invention/project.
6. A log must be submitted with your entry.
7. Projects are due on Wednesday, July 29, no later than noon (the day before the event) at the Show Place Arena.

Entries in the 2020 YMCA THINGAMAJIG Invention Convention Challenge will be judged on creativity, effective use of materials, attention to detail and accuracy. Prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners.

WHEN: Thursday, July 30, 2020
9:00am until 3:00pm

WHERE: Thingamajig is a FREE virtual event!

For more information, please call 202-232-6700.

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Wednesday, July 29,
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NAME _____ AGE _____ Boy Girl

I will be entering the YMCA THINGAMAJIG® INVENTION CONVENTION as an:

Individual

Team — *with up to 2 of my friends (enter their names):* Team Member: _____
Team Member: _____

My Home Address is: _____

CITY STATE ZIP

My Parent's Name(s) _____

Are you in a YMCA Camp? Yes — Which Camp: _____ Branch: _____
 No — Another Camp or Group: _____

Please check the YMCA THINGAMAJIG Challenges that you would like to enter. Check off the appropriate box for INDIVIDUAL or TEAM entry. Remember, no more than 3 people per team (larger teams will be disqualified).

INDIVIDUAL TEAM

- | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | BETTER THAN... APP Create an app that can solve a problem you find at home, at school or at camp. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | GLIDER RIDER With your imagination as your engine, design and build the coolest self-propelled rolling vehicle using recycled materials. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | iCANPLAY Be a designer of an amazing play space, game or toy that allows kids of all abilities to have fun and to be safe. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | IMPROVE IT Challenge yourself to take an everyday object and find ways to make it work better. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | INCREDIBLE ROBOTS Design an amazing robot that performs a task that helps to make the world better. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | MASTERPIECE TRASH AND TREASURE Let art, trash, treasure and genius meet in the creation of a masterful work of art all from recycled materials. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | MUSIC TO MY EARS Let there be music with your uniquely designed musical instrument, new beat or original song. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | PAPER MADE What really cool eco-friendly invention can you make using only paper or cardboard? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | PET EXERCISER Pets need exercise too. Design a new device to exercise a pet. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | RUBE GOLDBERG CHALLENGE Design the zaniest, most elaborate Rube Goldberg contraption using all sorts of everyday stuff. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | SMART WEARABLES Design the next wearable device that is created to make a difference in the life of someone special. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | UPCYCLED THINGAMAJIG Challenge your mind with recycled materials in the complex design of a brand new object or thing. |

YMCA Initials _____ Entry Date _____ THINGAMAJIG Registration Number _____

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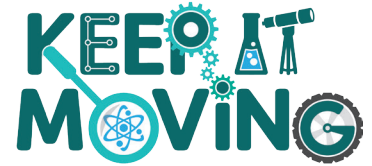
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INVENTION CHALLENGE INVENTION LOG

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NAME _____ AGE _____

NAME _____ AGE _____

NAME _____ AGE _____

YMCA Branch or Other Group _____ PHONE NUMBER _____

NAME OF INVENTION _____

Which challenge are you entering your invention in?

- | | | |
|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Better Than... App | <input type="checkbox"/> Incredible Robots | <input type="checkbox"/> Pet Exerciser |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Glider Rider | <input type="checkbox"/> Masterpiece Trash and Treasure | <input type="checkbox"/> Rube Goldberg Challenge |
| <input type="checkbox"/> iCanPlay | <input type="checkbox"/> Music to my Ears | <input type="checkbox"/> Smart Wearables |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Improve It | <input type="checkbox"/> Paper Made | <input type="checkbox"/> Upcycled Thingamajig |

1. What does your invention do?
2. How did you come up with the idea for your invention?
3. Who helped you create your invention?
4. How did you make your invention?
5. How much did your materials cost?
6. What recycled materials did you use for your invention?

**Please Attach
a Picture of Your
Invention**

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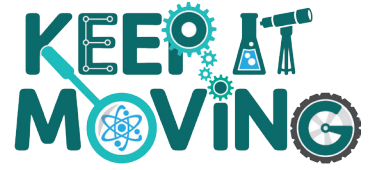
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PRESIDENTIAL CHALLENGE TEAM RULES AND DETAILS

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This year's YMCA THINGAMAJIG® Invention Convention takes place at 9:00am on July 30, 2020 at the Show Place Arena at the Prince George's Equestrian Center. With a theme of "WHAT IF, WHAT IS, WHAT WILL BE..." the event will engage kids in educational activities that motivate them to take care of themselves and the environment.

The Presidential Challenge is an on-the-spot challenge involving 10 teams made up of 10 children and two staff members. Teams are given one hour to complete an invention based on a theme given that day. Each team, led by a Challenge Leader, is tasked with creating a green invention using only recycled material in the allotted time.

CHALLENGE DETAILS

- Begins at 10:30am
- One hour to create invention (5 minutes to plan; 55 minutes to create/build)
- Recycled materials will be provided and participants will also be allowed to borrow from other teams or use some of the "free" items
- Presentations & judging at 12:00pm (Teams should be prepared to present their invention to a panel of judges.)
- Awards Ceremony at 2:15pm

HOW TO SIGN UP

Camp directors should pre-select their teams and complete the Presidential Challenge Team Registration Form, which is due to LaShaun.Murray@ymcadc.org by July 10, 2020.

Teams that try to sign up the day of the event may not be guaranteed a spot.

Questions? Call La Shaun Murray at 202-797-4488.

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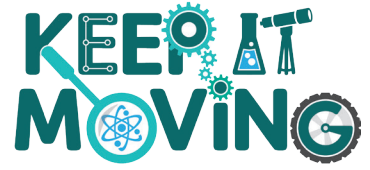
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PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY AND FILL OUT FORM COMPLETELY

Team Name _____

Branch/Group _____

Challenge Leaders (Adult Names) _____

Contact Phone Number _____

Participants

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

7. _____

8. _____

9. _____

10. _____

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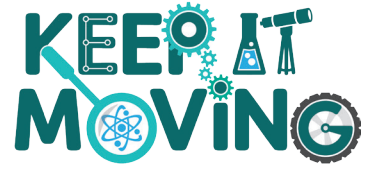
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TRASHION FASHION SHOW REGISTRATION FORM

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Think you can turn your TRASH into FASHION?

If so, come sign up for the YMCA THINGAMAJIG® Trashion Fashion Show!

Collect your recyclable materials.

Design your best recycled fashion...

Then walk the runway in the Trashion Fashion show.

Remember, you must use recyclable materials for your fashion design.

One person per fashion entry (no teams).

PLEASE PRINT

Name _____

Grade/Age _____

YMCA Branch / Outside Organization Name _____

Fashion Item _____

Please list your recyclable materials (please include color, fabric type, etc):

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

For questions, call La Shaun Murray at 202-797-4488.

Your fashion needs to be wearable (you will wear it during the fashion show).

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Y-IDOL RULES AND DETAILS

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Dare to be a YMCA Idol!! Calling all singers, dancers, and comics:

Are you looking for 5 minutes of fame? Sign up for your YMCA Idol Debut at THINGAMAJIG®!

All branches should hold their own Y-Idol elimination process; choose your top five talents to present to the THINGAMAJIG JUDGES (see the schedule below for your branch's audition date and time). The judges will choose ONE winning talent from each branch to perform at THINGAMAJIG on Thursday, July 30, 2020.

RULES:

- Each act should be no more than 2 to 3 minutes.
- Contestants may enter individually or in groups of no more than 5.
- Contestants must provide their own music. (i.e. cd or tape)
- Acts should be performed with respect.
- No dirty or provocative dancing; no foul language or gestures allowed.
- The five acts performing for the Judges should be ready and prepared to perform.
- Each branch should have an area designated for the performance.

Auditions:

- THINGAMAJIG Judges will visit the audition sites July 7-9, 2020.
- The five acts performing for the Judges should be ready and prepared to perform.
- Each branch should have an area designated for the performance.

Schedule:

| DATE | TIME | BRANCH | CONTACT |
|-------------------|----------|---|-----------------|
| Monday, July 2 | 10:00 am | Camp Letts | Kate Dadourian |
| | 1:00 pm | Potomac County | Laurence Nurse |
| Tuesday, July 3 | 11:00 am | Alexandria | Kiara Holloman |
| | 1:00 pm | Washington | Amber Hootman |
| Friday, July 6 | 1:30 pm | Reston & Loudoun – (Loudoun Kids Club home to Reston) | Ben Runyon |
| Monday, July 9 | 10:00 am | Hyattsville | Kristy Rumpf |
| | 11:30 am | Spring & YF (YF Kids Club home to Silver Spring) | Meena Suri |
| Tuesday, July 11 | 10:00 am | Calomiris | Chelly Foster |
| | 12:00 pm | Capital View | Michael Sherrod |
| Thursday, July 12 | 2:00 pm | Anthony Bowen | Carl Parker |

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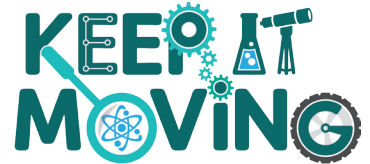
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Adult Representative _____

Phone Number _____

Name of YMCA Branch/Organization or Public Participant: _____

I will be entering Y-Idol as:

Individual Act

Stage Name _____

Select your Talent:

Singing Dancing

Comedy Poetry

Other _____

Name _____

Age _____

I am a: Boy Girl

Group Act — (maximum of 5)

Number of Participants in Group _____

Group Name _____

Select your Talent:

Singing Dancing

Comedy Poetry

Other _____

| Name | Age | Boy or Girl |
|------|-----|-------------|
| 1. | | |
| 2. | | |
| 3. | | |
| 4. | | |
| 5. | | |

YOUR CHARACTER COUNTS...

RESPECT yourself and others by choosing appropriate songs and dance moves.

RESPECT yourself and others by choosing appropriate modeling outfits
(nothing above the knee or off the shoulder).

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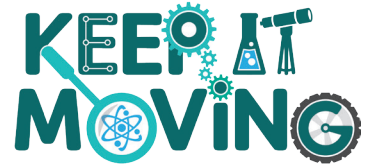
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THE GREAT COOK OFF REGISTRATION FORM

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The Great Cook Off at this year's YMCA THINGAMAJIG® Invention Convention will welcome 4 teams of 4 children to showcase their healthy master chef skills. Contestants will work together to create a dish that aligns with My Plate, showcases creativity and ingenuity, and of course, tastes delicious!

Each team is limited to 4 children who must be at least 8 years old. Each team must also have an adult sponsor, who can join in the cooking tent but is not allowed to participate or offer guidance during the competition. Each team must designate a Head Chef, who will be the only person on the team allowed to use a knife.

Team Name _____

Branch/Group _____

Adult Sponsor _____ Phone Number _____

Child's Name _____ Age _____

Child's Name _____ Age _____

Child's Name _____ Age _____

Child's Name _____ Age _____

Who is your Head Chef? _____

The Great THINGAMAJIG Cook-Off Challenge Guidelines

Working as a team, children will be given one hour to prepare 4 plates of one dish. Teams will have access to burners, mixers, blenders and food processors. There will not be an oven. Teams will also be responsible for developing a pitch of their dishes to the judges. We encourage teams to be familiar with My Plate prior to the competition as well as the food list below.

TEAMS WILL BE JUDGED ON THE FOLLOWING:

- Number of food groups used
- Creativity
- Taste
- Plate Presentation
- Pitch to judge
- Points will be deducted for each non-My Plate food group used (chocolate, sugar, candy, etc).

FOOD ITEMS THAT WILL BE INCLUDED:

- **Fruit:** apples, pears, bananas, strawberries, blueberries, blackberries, pineapple, tomatoes, avocados
- **Vegetables:** kale, collards, potatoes, sweet potatoes, broccoli, corn, peppers, carrots, celery
- **Grains:** rice, barley, bread, pita, oats, pasta, tortillas
- **Protein:** chicken, cheese, tofu, eggs, beans, lentils
- **Dairy:** yogurt, cheese, milk

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